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morning

leigh Hotel.

Practicing Physicians.

Responsibility for much of the drug addiction of today was placed squarely on the shoulders of the medical schools and the practicing physicians at the

ciety for the Study of Alcohol and Other Narcotics, in session at the Ra-

Dr. Oscar M. Leiser, director of the bureau of public health education, New York city, said the first thing for the

clean its own skirts first." He de-

clared the medical schools do not give

enough time to practical prescription writing, upon graduation the physician

tion by Foreign Authors."
The convention will end this afternoon with a symposium on cigarettes and other forms of tobacco.

an Committee of Objection.

Chairman Hilles that he will contest at

Chicago the delegates to the national

convention chosen by the "lily white" faction led by National Committeeman Victor Loisel, on the ground that the colored man has been practically eliminated from participation in republican politics in that state.

ry B. Spencer, Dr. and Mrs. Henry H. Kerr, Dr. and Mrs. Blair Spencer, Mr. and Mrs. Clarke Waggamann and Lieut. Leigh Noyes, U. S. N. Responsibility Laid Squarely on Shoulders of Medical Schools and

The Secretary of War and Mrs. Garrison gave their first formal dinner party of the winter last night when their guests were the Japanese ambassador and Viscountess Chinda, the chief of staff of the army and Mrs. Hugh L. Scott, Gen. and Mrs. Tasker H. Bliss, Gen. Crowder, Mrs. Joseph E. Kuhn, Assistant Attorney General and Mrs. Charles Warren, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Hewson and Mr. and Mrs. Richard A. Harlow.

The Secretary of the Interior and Mrs. Lane were the guests of honor at a dinner given by Judge and Mrs. Sidney Ballou, last night. The table was decorated with yellow chrysanthemums, and the guests included Representative and Mrs. James R. Mann. Col. and Mrs. Winslow, Commander and Mrs. Hussey, Princess David of Hawaii, Judge Wilder of Honolulu, Mrs. Willcox and Capt. Knapp.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Carl Smith, 1739 17th street, have as their house guest, Miss Eva Jane Smith of Warren, Pa.

The first formal hop of the season was held at Fort Myer last night. The hall was beautifully decorated with flags and palms and Mrs. Hugh L. Scott, Mrs. Charles Menoher, Mrs. Manus McCloskey and Mrs. William Glasgow received the guests. Several dinner parties preceded the dance.

Capt. and Mrs. Edward Sturges had a party of twenty. Their guests including the Misses Lelano, Miss Lucy Burleson, the Misses Scriven, Miss Margaret Michie, Miss Dorothy Shuey and Miss Alice Miller, Dr. Tucker Smith, U. S. N.; Lieut. Iseman, U. S. N.; Maj. Low, U. S. M. C.; Lieut. Eager, Lieut. Carlisle, Lieut. John Winter, Lieut. Dunn, Lieut. Benkema and Lieut. Victor Whitside of the post.

Lieut. and Mrs. Richard C. Burleson had as their guests Mrs. J. C. Walker of Galveston, Tex.; Mrs. Russell Bradford of the University of Virginia; Miss Margaret Read, Col. W. B. Wilder, Maj. A. W. Williams and Mr. John B. Pittney.

Lieut. and Mrs. Philip Sheridan's

Pittney.

Lieut. and Mrs. Philip Sheridan's guests were Mrs. Menoher, Capt. and Mrs. John N. Hodges, Maj. and Mrs. Adam F. Casad, Lieut. and Mrs. Kilburn and Col. McGunnegle of San Francisco.

Announcement is made of the mar-Announcement is made of the marriage, on Thursday, December 9, of Miss Minnie Schuerger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Schuerger of 218 9th street southeast, and Mr. James Edmond Taylor. The ceremony was performed at the parsonage of Trinity M. E. Church, Alexandria, Va., by the Rev. L. Middleton Ferguson, pastor of the church. The bride was attended by Miss Gertrude Taylor as maid of honor.

Stewart S. Reynolds will arrive from college next week to spend the holidays with his parents, Pay Director and Mrs. & Wells Reynolds, at the Highlands.

Z. Wells Reynolds, at the Highlands.

Mrs. Arthur C. Proctor, assisted by her sister, Mrs. Daniel F. Slattery, entertained at a luncheon of twelve covers yesterday in compliment to Mrs. Frederick L. Hemmings of Fort Pierce, Fla. The guests were Mrs. Frank Eobotka, Mrs. Fred Murray, Mrs. Finis D. Murray, Mrs. William Garner, Mrs. A. K. Adams, Mrs. William Garner, Mrs. A. K. Adams, Mrs. William L. Thurber, Mrs. George W. King, Mrs. Hugh B. Callahan and Mrs. Charles E. Turner.

Mrs. Morris, Mrs. King and Mrs. Murray won the prizes at the five hundred party which followed.

Col. and Mrs. Jay E. Hoffer gave a dinne

> Admiral and Mrs. Richardson Clover were hosts at dinner last night at the Chevy Chase Club, when their guests included Miss Sally Beecher, Miss Cath-Included Miss Sally Beecher, Miss Catherine Harlow, Miss Edith Blair, Miss Grynga Raybaud, Miss Callie Hoke Smith, Miss Ansley, Miss Ruth Lester, Miss Evelina Gleaves, Miss Lillian Hendrick, Miss Georgia Schofield, Miss Clover, Miss Beatrice Clover, Capt. Holcomb, U. S. M. C.; Commodore Staton, U. S. N.; Lieut. Davidson, U. S. N.; Lieut. Gatewood, U. S. N.; Lieut. Patterson, U. S. N.; Dr. Marbury, Mr. Ballard Moore, Mr. Wilson Haywood, Mr. Franklin K. Lane, Jr.; Mr. Read Beard, Mr. Beverly St. Clair and Mr. Marion Baker.

> Mrs. W. H. Bricker and Miss Sallie Meyers of Carlisle, Pa., are stopping at 1223 N street northwest for the winter.

Mrs. Laurence Townsend, who is visiting in New York, was a guest in Mrs. Ogden Goelet's box at the opera last night.

Mrs. Townsend wore a gown of dark red velvet, with a velvet rosette of the same shade in her hair.

Marriage Licenses.

Marriage licenses have been issued to Thomas M. Washington and Fannie Carter, both of Middleburg, Va. John B. Perry of Bethesda, Md., an

Mary E. Burrows of this city.

Martin F. Mitchell and Lillian I. Alli-Charles G. West and Ora Neal.
John L. Gray and Cora Harrington.
Martin L. Smith and Cora M. Perrell.
Floyd Hackett of New London, Conn.,
and Helen Wanser of this city.
David H. Welch of Broadway, Va.,
and Abbie M. Minnick of New Market,
Va.

Va.

James O. Corpening and Nellie V.

Norris, both of Manassas, Va.

Joseph Dunphy of Fort Myer, Va., and

Laura M. Young of this city.

James T. Underwood of Ashboro, N.

C., and Katherine D. Neal of this city.

Henry H. Cotter of Richmond, Va.,

and Francis C. Veney of this city.

Frank L. Thompson and Bettie Berry.

Charles E. O. Smallwood of Charlottesville, Va., and Eva O. Johnson of

this city. his city. William H. Jones and Mamie Herr

Births Reported.

The following births have been reorted to the health department in the last twenty-four hours:

Lawrence and Minnie Sorrell, girl.

Bernard W. and Mary I. Nalley, boy Charles A. and Charlotte Lustig, girl. Giovanni and Maddalena Lorenzette

d two of a and low neck styles. All in the snappiest models obtainable. Special at \$5.75

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| Samuel and Esther Levin, girl. Mary C. and Gladys I. Holbruner, boy. D. H. and Anna B. Kinegardner, girl. Frank T. and Blanche Henry, boy. Emery V. and Lillian C. Elliott, boy. Joseph A. and Flora G. Eckert, boy. Henry and Tilly Daims, girl. Samuel F. and Anita Cole, boy. Clyde M. and Clara Z. Bauer, boy. Albert D. and M. Alice Bartlett, boy. Frank B. and Mary J. Buechling, boy. William O. and Ethel C. Bowie, boy. James O. and Salile M. Wormley, girl. William H. and Louise A. North, girl. Clarence and Edith Lewis, girl. Frank S. and Rosa L. Echols, girl. Mari and Sadie Beckwith, boy.

Deaths Reported.

last twenty-four hours: George M. Oyster, sr., 89 years, 210 East Capitol street. John W. Godfrey, 57 years, Garfield

Hospital. Charles M. Hollinsworth, 67 1842 Monroe street northwest. Matilda F. Maddox, 79 years, 708 Massachusetts avenue northeast

Florida avenue northeast. Alice Sheppard, 72 years, 1208 K Alice Sheppard, 72 years, 1208 K street northwest.
Mary Dunn, 41 years, Georgetown University Hospital.
Joshua W. Selby, 61 years, 1457 Swann street northwest.
Rose Garlington, 34 years, 1621 3d street northwest.
Andrew Carter, 49 years, 2900 Q street northwest. northwest.
John Winfield, 63 years, Blue Plains,

James Ware, 39 years, 77 K street southwest.
Raymond Keys, 1 month, 802 Dixons court southwest.
Ellen Bullock, 6 months, 2492 Phillips court northwest.

Theatrical Association Election.

writing, upon graduation the physician goes to a hospital where he uses stock solutions, and when he goes into practice and a patient comes to him, instead of sitting down and writing a practical prescription he will prescribe some patent medicine which contains either alcohol or opium or both. In an examination of 2,000 prescriptions in New York he said more than 50 per cent were for medicines which contained habit-forming drugs.

Papers were read this morning by Dr. M. I. Wilberts, assistant at the hygienic laboratory, United States public health service here. on "Recent Legislation Designed to Restrict the Use of Narcotic Drugs," and by Miss Cora F. Stoddard of Boston, on "Some Recent Facts on the Alcoholic Question by Foreign Authors."

The convention will end this after-Officers for the year were elected a meeting yesterday of Washington odge, No. 7, of the Theatrical Mechan ical Association, as fololws: President Miles: recording secretary, John E. Birdsell; financial secretary, Leonard Rubel: treasurer, Louis Bord; physician, Dr. J. H. Stone; marshal, W. Hauser; sergeant-at-arms, E. Chase; chaplain, Anton Pointner, and trustee, I. Montisi.

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FINDS SANITARY DEFECTS.

Public Health Service Reports on Boys' Training School.

Faults in sanitary construction in certain buildings of the National Training School for Boys were observed by investigators of the public health service in a sanitary survey, made in Library Association was held last night September and October, last year, in at the Public Library, the following compliance with congressional legisla-

Library Association Election.

A meeting of the District of Columbia

and pantry, screening against files and minor defects.

This is made public in the report of the public health service, issued today. Specific recommendations to remedy these defects were made to the committee on expenditures in the Department of Justice.

and executive committee, H. H. B. Meyer, C. C. Houghton and Miss of Philadelphia delivered a lecture on the subject of "Manufacturing and Circulating a Magazine," illustrating the process of printing and distributing a publication with a five-reel film.

Mines Sink Italian Warships.

ROME, via Paris, December 16 .- The Italian destroyer Intropido and th tion. These faults related especially to lighting and fire-protection, the equipment and arrangement of the school-rooms, location of dining room, kitchen discontinuous and the school-rooms, location of dining room, kitchen discontinuous and the school-rooms, location of dining room, kitchen discontinuous and the school-rooms, location of dining room, kitchen discontinuous and the school-rooms and the school-rooms are school-rooms. It is a school-room and the school-room are school-room are school-room and the school-room are school-room are school-room and the school-room are sc

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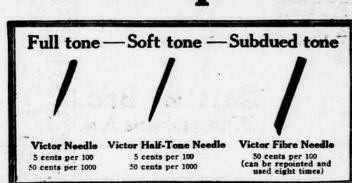
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